David Belasco has again won success with a new production, gird as it is a real Christmas play and about fairies. It is good news that Menager Rupley, has becaused it for the New Year's attraction at the New National.

"A Good Little Devil," fairies and all, must surely find its way into every heart. It is said to itll one of the preticest and must human stories that has prover found a place in drama. Although Mr. Belasco calls has a mean.

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If any other title had been given the work by its French authors, Rosenonde Gerard and Maurice Rostand, any proprietely descript a Child, Just as there is a covening person, who has not at one time or another, wished he might relieve the joys and drawns of childhood, so have the authors, and particularly Mr. Austin Strong in his delightful adaptation, made their great appeal to this universal sentiment. There is much his anticipation that the acting in Mr. Belazeo's excellent or st, with particular theory falling to William Norrie, Efricat Lawford, Ernest Truez, Henrie, Stantier, Edward Comenity, Iva Merlin, and Jeanne Towler.

Columbia-James R. Hackett.

was to his many admirers in this city ho will be afforded their first impornity to see this in his latest New rick sincess, "The Grain of Dust." It a drawns in lowe sets by Louis Evan ipman, founded on the novel by David rakins 'Phillips. "The Grain of Dust." as free produced just a year ago at Criterion Theater. New York, since hich time it has been delighting larke delerges, in the principal cities of the we in the principal citi

Henry W. Savage's delightful new pro-action of "The Merry Widow" will be the Belusco next week. Mabel Wilher, who headed the company

In New Year bill next week will the pictiante concedience, Miss

tan Sanderson."

ook play in which Norman carring this season and in it he seen at the Acidemy a dramatization of Hallle of story, "Satan Sanderson."

handed by the buriceque team of George D. Scanino and Mark Adlims, is the two act musical farce, "The Three Widows." The feminine cast is handed by Counters Hedwig von Mueller, the prima donna who will shir most of the big sone hits which have been provided for the en-ertainment by Ted Snyder, and Irving Berlin, the tagtime king.

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herd of the Hills," whigh will be pro-sunted at the Academy this week, though only twenty-four years old, has had a varied experience. She entered the operatic field at the

ge of twelve and was heard in the old avorite light operas such so "Pinafore." "The Mikado," "Olivette," and "Said. Panha," "Fra Diablo," "The Richemland Girl," and in more recent comic opera success, "The Isle of Champagne," and "The Pearl of Pekin," both on the road and at the Twoll in San Francisco before the earthquake. She has since estimated by the property of the carbon statement of the said ing woman in Chicago, Philadelphia, and Denver, The present producers, of "The

KINEMACOLOR PICTURE TO SHOW UNFOLDING OF FLOWER

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CHASE'S POLITE VAUDEVILLE

NOTES OF THE STAGE.

"The Child," by Elimbeth A. McFad-den, was presented last week in Fort Worth Tex. in which Margaret Anglin had the leading part,

Julia Sanderson has left "The Siren" company, as she is to begin reheavals in "The Sunthine Girl." and Carrol McComas will fill the vacancy in the former company.

Howard Gould and Raiph Delmore will play principal roles in another company organized to play "Within the Law."

The National Federation of Theater Clube will make a production this month of a play called "His Wife by His Blos." for which Robert Drouet and Nanetis Comstock have been engaged.

Elizabeth Haker's much-discussed play. "Chains," which made a lift in London, was produced in New York less week. It is a play concerning the average ill-paid and monotonous life of cierks, and the chains of necessity and family the which prevent the victims of these bonds from seeking greater opportunities in other lands.

other lands.

Albert Spathing, the rejebrated American violitiest, sen of J. W. Spaining, of baseball farce, is the first American surjet, invited to play with the St. Cecclis, invited to play with the St. Cecclis, Society's Orchesten in Berefeaux, which he did this month, corring a brilliant

norme has been arranged by aymphony orchestra, in n high-class sololata. Theeday and Wednesday sechiehem. a three-reel in

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FOR HE MAY MEAN WELL BY WALTER PRICHARD EATON.

One of the favorite sports of a co-decable portion of the population a coffing at the dramatic critica. It of, however, a defense of dramatic cri-ism we propose. Criticism that is

NEWS OF LOCAL PLAYHOUSES

playhenurs, their management, productions, and the singe folk who will be seen in this city either this week or in the very near fature.

Mrs. Plake's new play, "The High Read," by Edward Speldon, will be one of the attractions soon at the National Theater, whose dainty personality and sweet voice are his and sweet v

Bird of Paradise, I is an expert on things ber foured the Hawaiian Islands as a meni Hawaiian. He knows the archipelago from have to lepter and its ravines and beautiful islands and speaks the languitys are as familiar to him as Long. gullys are as familiar to him as acre square to George M. Cohan

Another of Joseph Hart's vaudeville enterprises in Digby Bell and company at Chuse's this week. The company in-cludes Mignon Lerls, Marie Ceol, Eugene Redding, and Frank E. Jones,

The Academy anacouses an especially strong list of January attractions with Thomas E. Shes in a repetiolre of stand-ard plays, followed by Hernard Daty in "Disc O'Dare," 'The Great Divide," and The Portune Hunter."

Miss Rose Staht, who will few National the week of

The English Dixon alsters at Chm. areat week are making a vaudeville tour of the world and already have covered ingland, France. Bouth Africa and South America.

The Gles and Mandolin Club, of the Columbia University, of New York City, have engaged the small ballroom at the New Willard for Pobrusry 22. They

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"Milestones" is announced as the attraction to follow James K. Hackett in "A drain of Dust" at the Columbia Theater the week beginning January 6.

Richard Walton "Dust" at the Columbia Theater the week beginning January 6.

T. Arthur Smith antiquines that con-tracts have been signed for the appear-ance of the Minneapolis Orchestra at the New National Thursday afternoon, Peb-ruary 28.

Grahum Meffat, in addition to "Burth Pulls the Strings," and "The Concealed Bed, which will be seen at Chase's next week, also wrote "A Scrape o' the Pen," all of which are being played in this country.

Eddie Poy, in his deservedly popula uncertion of murth and music, "Oue the Etyer," will be an early Januar attraction at the Columbia.

Marie Howe, who plays the part of Mahumahu in "The Hird of Paradles," was a member of the Poll players here

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mes seen is Washington in different but it is doubtful if anything like the wors by Bessie Barriscale like the wors by Bessie Barriscale in Bird of Paradis. It is ever be-been attempted. This fact is prob-due to the peculiarity of the play and the odd costuming of the cters. Before playing the role of Loans. Muse

LOVER OF DUMB ANIMALS

Lelia McIntyre, the demore and tile Quaker girl of "The Girl of E. M. Newman, whose travel tame may be become an annual (vature of the winter become an annual (vature of the winter become an annual (vature of the winter become, will begin be new series at the Le great kingdom of dumb asimals.

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Recently there traveled in her com-nany a sconderful dog, a wanderful per-former, componently unemployed because the former was then playing in "The lirt or My Dreams". A very brotal and the odd costuming of the play and the odd costuming of the sters, ore playing the role of Loans. Miss one playing the role of Loans. Miss one playing the role of Loans. Miss one playing the role of Loans, matter the stern of warth this awakened was cosciously the author which were consumed to the Hawalian Islands, where tudied strie and costumes at first Prom Honotius she made served. This was an occasion when Miss Melhors to him the string to the interior of the islands and of materials for the stands and

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